

REMARKS

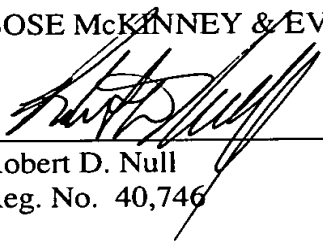
Pursuant to Examiner Pope's instructions provided during a telephonic interview on June 4, 2003, applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of all of the claims of the above-referenced case and a more thorough analysis of the claims in view of the prior art.

If necessary, applicant requests that this response be considered a request for an extension of time appropriate for the response to be timely filed. Applicants requests that any required fees needed beyond those submitted with this response be charged to the Deposit Account of Bose McKinney & Evans, Deposit Account No. 02-3223.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below should any question or comment arise during reconsideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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